

of each section the hands required of the overseer of the land embraced in his section.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of each overseer with the hands so provided, to work in each and every year, within the bounds of their respective sections, not less than two nor more than ten days, at the discretion of the commissioners, in the channel of said stream, with the power to straighten, remove obstructions and improve the banks thereof: *Provided*, that said commissioners may, in their discretion, order any and all overseers, with their respective hands, when deemed necessary, to work at any point on said stream.

Duties of overseer.

Powers.

Proviso.

SEC. 6. That any person or persons who shall wilfully and knowingly fell timber into, or otherwise obstruct the water in the channel of said stream between the points mentioned in section first of this act, and shall permit the same to remain therein for the space of ten days, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than five (\$5) nor more than ten (\$10) dollars: *Provided*, That if any person or persons so offending shall pay the penalty herein mentioned to the overseer of the section wherein the offence was committed, before a presentment is made of the same, he or they shall not be liable to an indictment for such offence.

Misdemeanor to fell timber into stream, &c.

Proviso.

SEC. 7. That all money arising from failure to work on said stream, and all penalties collected under the provisions of this act shall be paid over to the overseer of the section in which it may arise, and by him shall be expended in improving the channel of said stream, or in stopping washes on either side of the same, and any overseer failing or neglecting to perform the duties required by this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than ten (\$10) nor more than twenty (\$20) dollars: *Provided*, That no person shall be required, without his consent, to serve more than one term of two years at one time.

Money collected from penalties, &c., applied to work on stream.

Failure of overseer to perform duty a misdemeanor.

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